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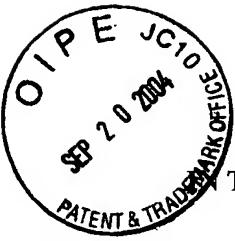
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Dear Sir/Madam:

The above-identified patent application was filed on December 11, 2001. We are writing to inquire about the status of the application. Applicant's records show no communication from the Patent and Trademark Office concerning the examination of the present application. Applicant therefore requests an indication of when a first Office Action should be received.

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Respectfully submitted,

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